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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, including a Form PTO-1449 and copies of the cited references.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 18-0580. It is believed, however, that no fee is due, as applicants have not yet received a first Office action on the merits. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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